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## SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Further to our Preliminary Amendment of May 8, 2002, and prior to examination  
please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Claims 2, 3, and 5 have been amended. Pending claims 1 to 8 and 10 to 12 follow.

1 1. An electromedical implant capable of exchanging data with an external  
2 apparatus, the implant comprising a telemetry device for the exchange of data with the  
3 external apparatus and at least two energy storage means, wherein the telemetry device  
4 comprises a telemetry transmitter and a telemetry receiver, and wherein each of the telemetry  
5 transmitter and the telemetry receiver is provided with a separate one of the at least two  
6 energy storage means.

1 2. (Twice Amended) The implant as set forth in claim 1 wherein each of the energy  
2 storage means comprises a buffer capacitor.

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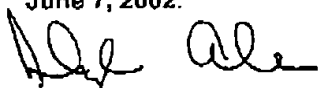
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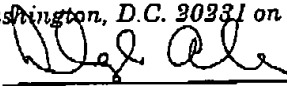
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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	11	* 20	0	x \$9.00	x \$18.00	-0-
Independent Claims	3	** 3	0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	-0-
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$140.00	\$280.00	
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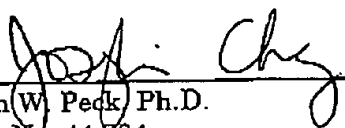
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**Amendment Transmittal Letter**  
**Application No. 09/603,812**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by or to give effect to this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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